## House Resolution No. 231

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are delighted to honor an outstanding Missourian who has witnessed dramatic changes in America during her sojourn on this most precious earth; and

Whereas, Alice G. Smith Tibbetts of Maryville, Missouri, will commemorate the resplendent occasion of her Ninetieth Birthday with a card shower on February 7, 2005; and

Whereas, on February 7, 1915, near Hopkins, God brought a special gift to Willard and Julia Townsend Smith with the birth of an adorable infant by the name of Alice, who would put a twinkle in their eyes and fill their hearts with love and joy; and

Whereas, while celebrating her birthday, Alice Tibbetts will have the opportunity to reminisce about some of the significant events in her life such as graduating from Hopkins High School in 1933, being married to Charles Barton Tibbetts on September 19, 1934, and giving birth to their offspring; and

Whereas, God has blessed Alice Tibbetts with the love and affection of a wonderful family whose members include her seven children, Betty Emery of Maryville, Shirley Judd of Tenzburg, Illinois, Janet Olney of Bedford, Iowa, Bob Tibbetts of Grant City, Marvin Tibbetts of Sedalia, Wayne Tibbetts of Independence, and Steve Tibbetts of San Diego, California; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and exemplary homemaker, Alice Tibbetts offered her children boundless emotional support, guidance, and understanding which enhanced their lives in countless ways; and

Whereas, at the respectable age of 90, Alice Tibbetts is extremely grateful for the countless blessings she has received throughout the course of her long and eventful life:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations and special birthday greetings to Alice Tibbetts at this significant milestone and in wishing her peace and contentment as she continues to enjoy her golden years; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Missouri nonagenarian Alice G. Smith Tibbetts, as a measure of our esteem for her.

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Representative Brad Lager								
District No. 4								
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I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 231, adopted January 25, 2005.